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Zanzibar, like a man returned from the dead, with the tidings of Emin's loyalty to his flag and his pressing need of help. Then followed the tragi-comedy of Stanley's expedition.

Dr. Junker may be said to have died before his time. Men of his stamp do much to redeem the reputation of the white race in Africa.

LOUIS FERDINAND ALFRED MAURY.—At the meeting of the Paris *Société de Géographie*, on the 19th of February, the President announced the death of Mr. Alfred Maury, of the Institute, for forty-seven years a Fellow of the *Société*, of which he had been successively Assistant Secretary, Secretary, Vice-President, and one of the Honorary Presidents.

Mr. Maury was a man of vast erudition, and his writings on history, philology, archæology, and geography, are of a very high order.

He was elected a Corresponding Member of the American Geographical Society in 1860.

SIR WILLIAM MACLEAY.—The Linnean Society of New South Wales announces in a circular letter the death of Sir Wm. Macleay, one of its oldest and most active members. An extract from the President's Address in January, 1890, recounts the benefactions of Sir William to the Society:

"I must remind you, at least, of his having borne all the expenses of our unfortunately brief establishment in the Garden Palace, of his gift of one admirable library of Natural History, which was to be consumed in the subsequent conflagration, only to be replaced by

the still more costly, extensive, and, I may almost say, invaluable collection which you see upon the shelves around you, and which he is still from day to day expanding and enlarging in all directions. I must also remind you that he has from the time of that fire never ceased to entertain the Society in a home formed for it by his own hospitality—first in an office, then in a commodious dwelling house, and finally in this spacious hall, presented to the Society. . . . Sir William Macleay has borne the greater part of the expenses of the Society's publications, has supplied the salaries of its officers, furnished its specialists with abundant funds for their investigations and their maintenance, and has equipped this establishment with its fittings, furniture and apparatus for research."

The President's statement is supplemented as follows:—By deed of December 5, 1890, the Linnean Hall with the land on which it stands, 179 ft. by 120 ft., was transferred to the Society; by way of endowment there was given a mortgage of £14,000, bearing interest at 5 per cent., and to this was added a bequest of £6,000. The sum of £35,000 was also bequeathed for the establishment of four "Linnean Fellowships," of the annual value of £400 each.

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